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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: EXAMINING BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPISTS AND

ATHLETIC TRAINERS

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 at 4:30 p.m.

PLACE: 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware

Conference Room A, second floor of the Cannon Building

MINUTES APPROVED: MARCH 26, 2019

MEMBERS PRESENT

Robert Price, Board President, Professional Member Joan Couch, Professional Member Andrea Godfrey, Public Member Prameela Kaza, Public Member Kimberly Lewis, Professional Member Mary Mundrane-Zweiacher, Professional Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Paul Schweizer, Professional Member Angela Smith, Vice President Professional Member

ALSO PRESENT

No others present

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General Alison Warren, Administrative Specialist III

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Price called the meeting to order at 4:42 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes from December 11, 2018. Ms. Lewis made a motion, seconded by Ms. Kaza, to approve the minutes with corrections. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Review and Sign Order for Maria Singzon

The Order Lifting Probation was reviewed by the board and signed by Mr. Price.

NEW BUSINESS

NPTE Contract – Alternate Approval Pathway Addendum

The board discussed and reviewed the documentation.

1. Applicants trained outside of the US – the board discussed if a PT evaluation can be used for a PTA license and test request.

Ms. Kelly will follow up with FSBPT for their guidance, and the about their policies concerning this topic.

Review of PT Application(s) for Reinstatement

 Karen Wyman - the Board reviewed and discussed the application for Ms. Wyman. Mr. Price moved, seconded by Ms. Kaza, to approve Ms. Wyman's PT application for reinstatement. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Ratification of PT/PTA/AT Application(s) by Examination or Reciprocity

Ms. Lewis moved, seconded by Ms. Mundrane-Zweiacher to ratify the applications listed below. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

- 1. Thomas Yoder PT
- 2. Jared Votta PT
- 3. Kyle Hughes PT
- 4. Laura Derricott PT
- 5. Frank Habi PT
- 6. Gerard Smith PT
- 7. AnneMarie Turner PT
- 8. James Viscount PTA
- 9. Monica Mueller AT
- 10. Deanne Laughman AT
- 11. Molly Schab AT
- 12. Jenna Cades AT

Request for Approval of Continuing Education

Mr. Price moved, seconded by Ms. Lewis to approve, deny or table the continuing education requests listed below. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

- 1. Lynn Fishlock, M. Ed. Approved
- 2. Monica Fielding Approved
- 3. Shah Shaily Ketanbhal Approved
- 4. Carole Ann Dimaculta Approved
- 5. University of Delaware Denied
- 6. Michelle Feairheller Approved
- 7. Tripti Upadhyay Approved

NPTE Appeal Request(s)

Min Ji Kang - Mr. Price moved, seconded by Ms. Kaza to deny the NPTE appeal request for Ms. Kang. The candidate has exceeded the 6 allowed attempts to pass the NPTE exam. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

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Review of CE Extension Request(s)

Russell Cotlin - Mr. Price moved, seconded by Ms. Kaza to deny Mr. Cotlin's request. By unanimous vote the motion carried.

<u>Jessica Polintan</u> - Mr. Price moved, seconded by Ms. Kaza to approve the CE extension request until 5/31/19. Ms. Polintan must renew her license by 1/31. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

There was no correspondence before the board

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (For Discussion Only)

Mr. Price announced that he will be resigning his position on the board effective immediately.

Mr. Price stated he would like the board to continue working on updating wording stating: A PT can keep treating a patient after 30 days if they are getting better.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 26, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. in the second floor Conference Room A, of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Ms. Kaza moved to adjourn the meeting, motion seconded by Ms. Lewis. By unanimous vote, the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 5:31 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Alison Warren

Alison Warren Administrative Specialist III

The notes of this meeting are not intended to be a verbatim record of the topics that were presented or discussed. They are for the use of the Board members and the public in supplementing their personal notes and recall for presentations